

Claims

1. An antibody comprising donor CDRs derived from an antigen-specific donor antibody of a non-human species and acceptor framework residues derived from a non-human primate.
2. The antibody of claim 1 wherein the non-human primate is an Old World ape.
3. The antibody of claim 2 wherein the Old World ape is *Pan troglodytes*, *Pan paniscus* or *Gorilla gorilla*.
4. The antibody of claim 3 wherein the Old World ape is *Pan troglodytes*.
5. The antibody of claim 1 further comprising one or more CDR-contacting residues of the donor antibody.
6. The antibody of claim 1 comprising human or Old World ape constant regions.
7. The antibody of claim 1 wherein one or more solvent-exposed framework residues are replaced with corresponding residues from a homologous selected non-human primate framework.
8. The antibody of claim 1 wherein the non-human primate is an Old World monkey.
9. The antibody of claim 8 wherein the Old World monkey genus is *Macaca*.
10. The antibody of claim 9 wherein the Old World monkey is *Macaca cynomolgus*.
11. The antibody of claim 8 further comprising one or more CDR-contacting residues of the donor antibody.
12. The antibody of claim 8 comprising human or Old World ape constant regions.

13. The antibody of claim 8 wherein one or more solvent-exposed framework residues are replaced with corresponding residues from a homologous selected non-human primate framework.

14. A method for making an antibody having reduced immunogenicity in humans comprising grafting CDRs from antigen-specific non-human antibodies onto homologous Old World ape acceptor frameworks.

15. The method of claim 14 wherein the Old World ape acceptor framework is from *Pan troglodytes*, *Pan paniscus* or *Gorilla gorilla*.

16. The method of claim 15 wherein the Old World ape acceptor framework is from *Pan troglodytes*.

17. A method for making an antibody having reduced immunogenicity in humans comprising grafting CDRs from antigen-specific non-human antibodies onto homologous Old World monkey acceptor frameworks.

18. The method of claim 17 wherein the Old World monkey acceptor framework is from the genus *Macaca*.

19. The method of claim 18 wherein the Old World Monkey acceptor framework is from *Macaca cynomolgus*.

20. A chimpanzee VH acceptor framework I, II and III comprising an amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NOS: 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 or 18.

21. A chimpanzee VH acceptor framework IV comprising an amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NOS: 81, 82, 83, 84 or 85.

22. A chimpanzee VK acceptor framework I, II and III comprising an amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NOS: 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 or 36.

23. A chimpanzee Vκ acceptor framework IV comprising an amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NOs: 86 or 87.

24. A cynomolgus VH acceptor framework I, II and III comprising an amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NOs: 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51 or 52.

25. A cynomolgus VH acceptor framework IV comprising an amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NOs: 88, 89, 90, 91, 92 or 93.

26. A cynomolgus Vκ acceptor framework I, II and III comprising an amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NOs: 59, 60, 61, 62, 63 or 64.

27. A cynomolgus Vκ acceptor framework IV comprising an amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NOs: 94, 95 or 96.

28. An isolated nucleic acid molecule encoding the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NOs: 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 or 36.

29. An isolated nucleic acid molecule encoding the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NOs: 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86 or 87.

30. An isolated nucleic acid molecule encoding the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NOs: 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63 or 64.

31. An isolated nucleic acid molecule encoding the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NOs: 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95 or 96.